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FOR PROVIDING FULL  
INTERACTIVITY WITH  
PROGRAMMING EVENTS

Examiner: H. Tran

Group Art Unit: 2611

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Sir:

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